

LOCALS

Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, head of the state hospital, was able to attend the Wednesday luncheon of the Rotary club for the first time since his recent illness six weeks ago. This is the first absent mark checked against his record after becoming a member of the club.

Refinance your car. Pay monthly. See P. A. Eiker, Liberty & Ferry.

Deputy Sheriff Floyd Senter, of Dallas, was a Polk county visitor on business in the city Wednesday.

Your big opportunity: closing out. Love, the Jeweler.

Prof. Elmer Young, of the department of the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Young, 2155 Center, while on his annual vacation. On the trip west he stopped at Lake Louise. The Young family is leaving for a camping and fishing trip. Another recent guest at the Young home was a nephew, Vernell Obernolle and wife, of Beaumont, Calif. This was their first visit to Oregon.

Quitting business sale of men's suits at Pullerton's up-stairs store, 125 North Liberty St.

Sixty-two of the 70 clubs in the district were represented at the conference of presidents and secretaries of Rotary clubs held last week at Aberdeen, Wash. W. H. (Jack) Dancy, president of the Salem club, reported Wednesday noon. The next convention of the district will be held in Portland in the spring.

Free diamond ring and 3 other gifts each day this week at Towers Jewelry Auction.

Fellowship is the main philosophy and underlying principle in the growth and development of the service club. John J. Evans, pastor of the First Christian church at Sacramento, Calif., told the Rotary club Wednesday noon. Rev. Evans was formerly pastor here and a member of the club.

Best jazz dance, Crystal annex, Wednesday, Saturday.

Lloyd and Paul Lee and Gardner Knapp attended the poultry meeting of the Portland Ad club Wednesday noon. Knapp gave a short talk. The trio was accompanied by "King Leo" who offers an exhibition of plain and fancy crowing. The high class rooster has been heard over the radio several times.

Best, biggest old time dance, Crystal Gardens, Wednesday, Saturday.

Lee U. Ryerly, superintendent of the municipal airport, joined the Pacific northwest reliability air tour Wednesday morning and will make the remainder of the tour with the fleet. The trio was accompanied here Sunday, made an overnight stop in Corvallis Tuesday and Eyerly joined in for the noon-day stop at Kelo, Wash. After visiting Tacoma, Olympia and Seattle, the tour will conclude at Port Angeles, Friday. Eyerly accompanied the party to Medford Monday.

Auction sale Wednesday night, also Saturday afternoon at the F. N. Woody Auction market on Summer St. 186

Delegates and alternates to the state convention of the American Legion to be held in Baker next week held an organization meeting at the armory Tuesday evening. General policies of the delegation were outlined.

Dance old time at Yew Park hall tonight. Big time! 185

Advices have been received by County Clerk Boyer that the hearing on a road crossing matter scheduled for Monday, August 11 at the West Woodburn depot of the Oregon Electric has been postponed until Friday, August 22 at 10 a. m. at the same place.

Dance, Mellow Moon tonite. Cool hall, best music. 25c and 50c. 185

County Judge Siegmund Tuesday visited the new Hazel Green bridge where a fill on the west end is being made and states that the fill has been completed so the dirt trucks can haul over it and now it is just being widened on both ends. He believes that three or four more days of work at the outside should complete the fill.

Special marcelling, finger waving. See Elite Beauty Shop, Phone 914. 185

Ralph Cooley, manager of Bishop's store, and Salem both had unexpected honoree thrust on them on Cooley's recent trip east when he was invited to dine at the executive's dining room of the big Steison company in Philadelphia. When he sat down at the table a specially printed menu was pushed under his eyes printed in red at one side, "Stop! Here's Ralph Cooley." And he was then given his choice on the following menu also especially dished up for him: Cream of Oregon asparagus, broiled Cooley, mackerel, mashed Salem potatoes, Washougal broccoli, or cold roast Bishop beef, Euriska potato salad, sliced Mt. Hood tomatoes, Pendleton blackberry pie, or Cascade ice cream all topped off by Williams' ice cream coffee. The entire menu was arranged with some reference to a Bishop or Salem connection.

Visit South Silver Creek Falls and caves, 100 acre nature park. 185

An automobile owned by Harold Murphy of Monmouth was reported to the police Tuesday night, as having been stolen from Ferry street. About a half hour later the machine was located at Mill and Cottage.

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pany plant is to pass to municipal ownership. The commission is interested for the reason that when it becomes municipally owned it will no longer be under the commission's jurisdiction.

Modern house, 2 acres, edge of Salem, south. Immediate possession. Price \$3500; \$500 down and balance just like rent. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High St. 185

J. C. Simpson, an automobile salesman here for several years, has accepted the position of traffic officer for West Salem and will report for duty immediately.

Dr. Stone treats cancers, skin diseases and does a general office practice. Office next door to police station. 185

Roadmaster Johnson state Wednesday that he is ordering another car of Port Orford cedar for delivery to the county shops here. The piling will be used for general bridge work in various parts of the county.

Spring fried chicken dinner Thursday 5c. Green Lantern, 1325 State St. Cool, clean place to eat. 185

Demurrers to complaints have been filed in circuit court in the two cases of Prudential Savings & Loan association against Blanche B. Huffman and Ralph J. Stevens.

Tumble Inn's band, Mehama Thursday. 185

Bert Smith, deputy Marion county sheriff, with his family left early this week for the Tillamook beaches where they will spend a vacation during the next two weeks.

Old time dance Mehama Thursday. 185

An application by the Marion county court for authority to construct a grade crossing over the Oregon Electric track near Woodburn, which was set for hearing at Woodburn Monday, Aug. 11, has been postponed to Friday, Aug. 22, the public service commission said Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Brown will sail for Honolulu, Hawaii, on the S. S. Wilhelmna August 13. She will visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Brown, for several months. Willard Brown, better known as McDonald, is program director for a large radio broadcasting station at Honolulu.

Benita Stroud, nurse with the Marion county health service, returned Wednesday morning from a trip to Milwaukee, Wis., where she attended the nurses' convention, and as far east as Washington, D. C. She was gone several months.

Lavilla Perry, Salem X-ray technician, returned several days ago from a two weeks' stay at Seattle.

Officers elected by the Tawalle club at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Ella Watt Monday night were: president, Nina Baggett; vice president, Maxine Ferguson; treasurer, Alice Palmer; secretary, Elva Medler; reporter, Bessie Strang; financial committee, Rosa Lee Neubaum, Emma Denser and Bessie Strang. The next meeting will be held at the home of Emma Dencker. The Tawalle club is composed of members of the Artisans' drill team.

Mrs. Ralph W. Walton of Montclair, New Jersey, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Smith of Santa Monica, Calif., are guests at the home of Mrs. Walton and Mr. Smith's mother and sister, Mrs. William Dillman Smith and Miss Grace Elizabeth Smith, on Center street. Mrs. Walton, better known as Elva Smith, arrived last Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. Smith came from California Tuesday night. The visitors will be here for the greater part of August.

Georgiana Briggs, school teacher at Hermiston, is spending several days in Salem. She arrived Tuesday.

Directors of the Camp Fire Girls held a session Wednesday afternoon to arrange final plans for the camp which the girls will hold at Camp Santaty this month. Due to unforeseen changes, the camp program will be arranged for only one week, and Camp Fire Girls from Albany and Eugene will join with the Salem girls. A Portland Camp Fire executive is expected to head the outing. The opening and closing dates of the week at camp will be named at the meeting Wednesday.

Mrs. Aida Perry, who has been spending the past six weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Nash, left Tuesday for her home in Los Angeles. She is a former Salem girl and well-known here.

On motion of the plaintiff the case of George F. Clark against Chung Poy has been dismissed in circuit court.

Circuit Judge McMahan has handed down an order overruling 17 motions against the complaint in the case of Eury C. Howell, administrator of the estate of Matthias Siegmund against Charles C. Hart.

Marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk as follows: John Orville Cagle, Silverton, and Gladys Wright, Salem, both legal; Jesse A. White, 23, and Ida Reinhardt, 23, both Los Angeles; Martin R. Schoeneman, 47, and Minnie S'ancy, 46, both Salem; Leonard E. Chadwick, 23, Oakland, Calif., and Olive C. Barnard, 23, Salem; Albert Pease, 21, and Maud Ingram, 21, both Albany.

Application has been filed in circuit court to have the case of Fred Glenn against C. A. Knopp placed on the motion docket.

The case of B. C. Cummins against P. J. Tobin in circuit court has been dismissed on motion of the plaintiff, according to an order filed with the county clerk.

BEND FIRES UNDER CONTROL IS REPORT
Bend (AP)—Two men caused forest fires in the dry Deschutes woods were controlled Tuesday afternoon, after from 100 to 200 acres of cut-over lands belonging to the Shevlin-Hixon company had burned over. The larger fire of the two, apparently caused by a cigarette tossed from a Great Northern train near Benham falls, was checked by a crew of 100 Shevlin-Hixon men about sunset. The other fire, a smoldering blaze near a Crescent lake camp ground, was held inside a quarter acre.

POPULATION OF UNITED STATES IS 122,729,615
Washington (AP)—Continental United States had a population of 122,729,615 April 2 this year. The first complete compilation of the nation's population was made possible when a single township in Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, which had been missing, was reported.

The returns were compiled from official reports of the district supervisors throughout the country. These totals, however, are subject to revision in the census bureau's announcement which is expected soon.

The nation's total population with its outlying possessions numbered 122,729,615. The 48 states and 430 occupy the various territories and island dependencies.

The total population increase in the 48 states and the district of Columbia in the 10 years was 17,018,999, the largest numerical growth of any decade in its history.

TO REGULATE SHIPPING RATES
Washington (AP)—T. V. O'Connor, shipping board chairman, said Wednesday unless members of the United States interstate conference agreed to regulate freight rates on an equitable basis, he would seek congressional authority to have the shipping board regulate them.

At a meeting at the shipping board conference members were told by O'Connor that unless satisfactory rates were worked out he would seek to have the shipping board given authority on inter-coastal water commerce similar to that given the interstate commerce commission on railroads.

Complaints that many non-conference lines were doing a "cut rate" business on freight handled between eastern and western coasts were heard at the meeting.

Members of the conference told the board business had decreased 25 or 35 per cent and many boats were idle.

PRIEST REFUSES TO MARRY DOLORES
Santa Barbara, Cal. (AP)—A hitch in the plans of Dolores Del Rio, motion picture actress, to be married Tuesday afternoon at the historical Santa Barbara mission developed Tuesday when Father Augustine de Burch unseated the democratic incumbent, Joseph Whitehead, in the fifth district.

CANNON ELECTED BY SUPERINTENDENTS
Roy Cannon, of Portland, Multnomah county school superintendent, was elected president of the Oregon County School Superintendents' association at the closing session of its annual convention here Wednesday. Martha E. Mulkey of Coquille, Coos county superintendent, was elected vice president, and Maybelle Romig, Baker county superintendent, secretary-treasurer.

WICHITA, KANSAS BANKS ARE CLOSED
Wichita, Kas. (AP)—The Guarantee Title and Trust company and the Guarantee State bank with liabilities aggregating \$3,246,224.43 failed to open for business Wednesday.

GRAZED VETERAN KILLS WIFE, CHILD
Minneapolis (AP)—Charles S. Hall, Wednesday killed his wife and five year old son with an ax and then wandered back to the veterans' hospital at Fort Snelling, where he had been a mental patient.

URGE RELEASE OF TWO MISSIONARIES
London (AP)—The British government Wednesday made urgent representations to the Nanking government for the release of the missionaries Miss Edith Nettleton and Miss E. J. Harrington, being held for \$50,000 ransom.

FIRE AT CONDON
Condon (AP)—Six tenants of the Horner apartments were made homeless by fire which swept the two story stone building Tuesday night. The fire started in the basement. Damage was unestimated.

PORTLAND'S CENSUS
Washington (AP)—Revised census figures for Portland, Ore., show a population of 391,311, increase 43,923 or 12.5 per cent.

BANKBOOK AND PHOTOGRAPHS PROVIDE CLUES
Chicago (AP)—A bankbook and several photographs became important clues Wednesday in investigations of the murders of Alfred J. Lingle, Tribune reporter, and Jack Zuta, north side gangster.

The bankbook was one which Joseph Jack, questioned almost all night by police, said he picked up in a subway shortly after Lingle was killed on June 9. The reporter's slayer, Jack said, tore the book from Lingle's hands as the reporter, shot in the back of the head, fell. Then, in escaping, the slayer dropped the book, Jack declared.

The photographs of several suspects in the Lingle murder, were delivered to Sheriff Philip Herbrand of Waukegan county, Wis., where Zuta was murdered by seven gangsters in a dance hall last Friday.

Sophie Annski, maid at a Wisconsin hotel where Zuta's slayers lived for several days, believed, officials said, she could definitely identify several of the men.

Police have expressed conviction that the slayer who killed Lingle killed Zuta because he, their leader, "talked" to police about the Lingle case.

HOLMAN TO BE KEYNOTER FOR MEIER MEETING
Portland, Ore. (AP)—The keynote address at the meeting of the Independents called here Thursday night at the auditorium to nominate Julius L. Meier for governor will be made by Rufus C. Holman, according to unofficial reports Wednesday.

Holman also is chairman of the resolutions committee. Other members are Kenneth Harlan, Ralph C. Clyde, Dr. A. A. Slaughter and the Rev. Bjork Johanson.

The "Meier for governor" movement opened headquarters in the Yeon building Wednesday with Peter W. Wich in charge. Harry L. Cross will be in charge of the public committee and Dr. Slaughter will be chairman of the general committee on arrangements.

Tentative plans for Thursday night's assembly of electors provide that all persons taking part in the meeting be registered voters and that they pledge themselves to vote for the nominee and support the platform of the late George W. Joseph, republican nominee elect.

DRY CANDIDATES LOSE IN VIRGINIA
Richmond, Va. (AP)—Two men whose views on prohibition caused them to be classed "unsatisfactory" by the Anti-Saloon league, and a third who made party loyalty the watchword of his campaign, were nominated for congress in contested districts in Virginia's democratic primary.

Joseph T. Deal, classed as a "wet" and Judge Howard Smith, "unsatisfactory" to the Anti-Saloon league swept to victory in the second and eighth districts, while Thomas G. Burch unseated the democratic incumbent, Joseph Whitehead, in the fifth district.

RAILROADS PROMISE FARM COOPERATION
Washington (AP)—President Hoover Wednesday was advised by railway officials throughout the areas affected by the drought that they would cooperate to the fullest in any measures decided upon by the administration to relieve effects of the drought.

Mr. Hoover plans no action, however, until the report he has asked from the department of agriculture is received Monday.

This report is to include a county by county and a farm by farm survey in the affected areas, and from it Mr. Hoover expects to determine what relief measures will be necessary by the government.

Secretary Hyde who has been on a tour of the west, is to return to Washington Thursday and will immediately confer with the president upon the drought situation.

ROBBED AND STRIPPED IN OWN AUTOMOBILE
Seattle (AP)—Kidnapped by three bandits in his own automobile, James Reed was overpowered, taken to the Duwamish valley district, and robbed of his money, automobile and clothes early Wednesday.

Reed, stripped of his clothes, was finally found by county officers. He had picked up the men, he said, when they requested a ride. Once in the car they held him up, overpowered him, and took him into the Duwamish valley district where they threw him out after robbing him of everything he possessed.

Reed's automobile was later discovered by police and the officers arrested four youths, Vincent Drum, 21, I. E. Ferguson, 23; E. Adcock, 24; and C. A. Erickson, 23. The quartet was lodged in the city jail for investigation.

MATCH IN SEWER EXPLODES SYSTEM
Weehawken, N. J. (AP)—A negro laborer flipped a match into a sewer manhole Wednesday and explosions and fire which followed imperiled thousands and killed one of the fire apparatus in Weehawken and Union City.

Manhole covers flew into the air along streets all the way to Union City. Joshua Moyer, the negro, was critically burned. No one was struck by the iron discs.

EUGENE CHILD LIVES LIFE IN WILLAMETTE
Eugene (AP)—Jackie Weize, 5, was drowned in the Willamette river near here late Tuesday afternoon when he fell in or waded beyond his depth from an island. The boy had been playing with other children and was missed when they started to leave the island. His body had not been found early Wednesday.

YOUR FORTUNE IS REVEALED BY YOUR TOE NAILS
Detroit (AP)—Your age, your disposition, your likes and dislikes, and your general state of health all are revealed by your toe nails, for it takes a chiropodist to read the signs. Speakers at the 12th annual convention of the National Association of Chiropodists explained their secrets.

Furrows on the nail indicate the years, just as rings in a tree show its age. A short stubby toe nail usually is possessed by a selfish, self-centered individual, while the long, narrow and slightly oval nail denotes a man or woman who is mentally alert, keen, refined and a generally nice person to be around.

The experts also revealed that flat feet are more common to men than women, but that women have more foot defects, generally from wearing shoes with excessively high heels.

Some of the officers of the association include: Dr. Joseph Leyveld, Rockland, Mass., president; Drs. J. K. Baker, Omaha; Fred J. Carlson, Chester, Pa.; John F. Kelley, Boston; George Scherer, Jr., Los Angeles; and Hal P. Smith, Indianapolis, vice presidents. Dr. Gus P. Darling, Atlanta, was elected a member of the National Council and Los Angeles was awarded the 1931 convention.

BANK ROBBERS GET \$2000 LOOT
Oakville, Wash. (AP)—Locking the cashier and a girl employe in the vault, two men held up the Oakville state bank here shortly after it opened Wednesday and escaped with between \$2,000 and \$2,500 in currency. The men detained several hundred dollars in silver which was lying with the currency in the vault. A third man waited in a car outside the building.

McKinley Kane, cashier, said they forced him into the vault, took the currency and shut the door. Kane opened it with a screw driver in about 15 minutes, he said, and then notified officers.

A car, answering the description of one used by the bandits, was reported near Rochester, a few miles from here, but several hours later had not been seen again.

The Oakville bank was robbed similarly two years ago.

BUTTEVILLE ASKS STREET OPENING
A delegation from Butteville headed by Andrew Johnson waited on the county court Wednesday in regard to opening a county road a part of Third street in Butteville to connect with the county road entering town from Aurora.

The road, it was stated, was dedicated a great many years ago as a regular 60 foot street on the town plat. Members of the delegation said that the road was now fenced off down a 30 foot road or little better than an alley. The court is not asked to open the road back the full 60 feet as it would take it right up virtually to a man's house but it is asked that the fence be set back 10 feet to make a 40 foot road and that it be improved as a county road.

HIGHWAY FUNDS GIVE EMPLOYMENT
Washington (AP)—The \$50,000,000 increase in funds for federal aid highways made at the recent session of congress was reported Wednesday by the department of agriculture to have "helped materially to reduce unemployment throughout the country."

The bureau of public roads said the increase, which brought the total federal aid highways to \$125,000,000 had caused 4,000 more men to be employed in construction in April; 4,800 in May; and 1,300 in June.

In addition to the contractor's forces, it was pointed out, more men also were employed in the preparation and transportation of the larger quantities of material required by the augmented program.

100,000 SEE CRATER
Medford (AP)—Crater lake attendance Tuesday night passed the 100,000 mark, three weeks ahead of the same mark last year. Park officials predicted a total attendance for the year of 100,000 compared to last year's 128,000.

Johannesburg, South Africa, is adding 15 buses to its municipal services, bringing the fleet up to 50.

MATE TELLS OF FATAL SHOOTING BY GUARDSMEN
Salisbury, Mass. (AP)—The shooting of Chief Boatswain's Mate Louis A. Pratt by fellow coast guardsmen in another boat Monday night was preceded only by the sighting of a dim light and a sound like a rifle shot, Surfman Cleo Falkingham told a board of inquiry Wednesday.

Immediately after hearing the single shot, Falkingham said, there came a machine gun fire. Pratt dropped and Falkingham seeing that his companion was hurt, headed toward shore.

Chief Machinists Mate Hugh Olmstead and Fireman Clifford Hudder, crew of the coast guard boat on which the machine gun fire originated, were represented by counsel as the hearing opened. Falkingham was the first witness.

Falkingham said as he headed shoreward with his stricken mate he saw two flares thrown up, but did not know in which direction they were lighted because he did not look over the edge of his boat.

The shooting error was discovered only after Pratt had died in a hospital at Lewish. For some time it was believed Pratt had been shot in an encounter with a rum running vessel.

Pratt, himself, after the burst of shots had caused him to drop beneath the hood of his surf boat, turned to Falkingham and told him he thought the craft was a rum runner.

Commander S. R. Sands of Portsmouth, N. H., head of the first coast guard district, is president of the board of inquiry.

ILLNESS FAILS TO HALT FLIERS
St. Louis (AP)—Although Dale Jackson, endurance flier, suffered from a cold, the monoplane Great-Louis dived in circles over Lambert-St. Louis field Wednesday. Jackson determined his illness would not conflict with the attempt to break the Hunter brothers' record of 554 hours of continuous flight.

Forest O'Brien, companion of Jackson, was ready to act as nurse, and work a double shift if Jackson felt he needed additional sleep. The flier, messaged, however, that Jackson's cold "is slight," and probably would not force them down.

At 6:11 a. m. the plane had been in continuous flight for 383 hours.

URGE AMERICANS TO LEAVE KANGCHOW
Washington (AP)—Richard P. Butler, American consul at Hankow, China, advised the state department Wednesday all Americans in Kangchow had been urged to withdraw to safety.

The consul's warning was sent upon the suggestion of Dr. C. T. Wang, Chinese minister for foreign affairs, after he had down in local military authorities at Kangchow would withdraw from the city. Americans in Kangchow in January, state department records show, number 12, including some Catholic missionaries.

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BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington	5	8	0
Philadelphia	1	1	1
Jones and Blanton	1	1	1
Quinn, Shores and Ochrane	2	7	3
Boston	4	7	3
New York	4	7	1
Gaston and Berry; Sherid and Bengough			

First game:

St. Louis	5	14	1
Chicago	0	2	0

Coffman and Hunsing; Thomas and Tale.

Cleveland	1	4	3
Detroit	9	13	1
Hudlin, Jablonowski, Bean, and L. Sewell; Uhle and Dosatula			

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia	4	10	1
Boston	5	10	2
Hansen, Collins and Davis; Renca; Sherdel and Cronin			
Brooklyn	7	9	0
Pittsburgh	4	12	4
Thurston, Moss, Helmsch and Lopez; French, Swetonic and Book			

DROUTH CROP DAMAGE HEAVY STATES BUREAU
Washington (AP)—Summarizing the effects of the severe drought which is now general practically everywhere east of the rocky mountains, the U. S. weather bureau Wednesday said the corn crop has suffered marked deterioration while damage to other crops has been extensive.

Weather conditions during the week ending Tuesday intensified the drought that has prevailed for more than a month. In some sections not heretofore seriously affected are becoming alarmingly dry, it said.

This report of the weather bureau, the usual weekly summary, served to emphasize the need of relief measures which President Hoover and administration agencies have inaugurated in an effort to prevent widespread loss to farmers.

"Streams are becoming extremely low practically everywhere and the scarcity of water for livestock, and in some sections for domestic use is a serious problem, especially in Kentucky and other parts of the interior valley, with stock dying and selling at a sacrificed price," the report said.

LONDON HONORS AMY JOHNSON
London (AP)—Amy Johnson, Britain's London-to-Australia flying heroine, made a triumphal progress through the streets of London.

Heretofore anxious to see "Flying Amy" line the streets as they do when royalty goes on formal show, the aviatrix, whose personality charmed a dozen countries on her recent record air journey, went to a hotel where England's conquering youth of 1930, most of them girl celebrities, attended a welcoming luncheon and saw her receive a check for 10,000 pounds from the London Daily Mail which, maintaining the traditions of Lord Northcliffe for fostering aviation, rewarded her for her success on the Australian hop.

PORTLAND ROAD TO COAST URGED
Wheeler (AP)—A series of resolutions concerning the proposed construction of a short cut to the sea from Portland for submission to the Oregon state highway commission, were being signed by civic and community organizations from Astoria to Tillamook Wednesday.

The resolutions are in the nature of an assurance of support and a pledge of loyalty to the highway commission in any action it may take on any route.

PLAN ROAD AROUND CRATER